

Village of Malcolm

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May 1, 2019

Malcolm Residents:

Enclosed is an Animal License application which needs to be filled out and return to the Village Hall by June 1, 2019. **ALL DOG(s) ARE REQUIRED TO BE LICENSED THROUGH THE VILLAGE OFFICE; a non-returnable copy of a certificate with the current rabies vaccination date(s) needs to be submitted with the renewal application.**

A copy of the Village's dog codes are located on our website, www.Malcolm.ne.gov, Chapter 6, a few of the complaints that are received EVERY YEAR are:

- Dogs barking, howling or yelping continuously – Chapter 6-116;
- ALL dogs MUST be on a leash at all times unless in an enclosed area – Chapter 6-111;
- It's the owners responsibility to clean up after their dogs ESPECIALLY IF THE DEPOSIT IS LEFT IN SOMEONE ELSE'S YARD – Chapter 6-117.

The Village Board does not mean to harp on the same thing over and over, however, it is not right that a non-dog owner has to clean up after someone else's dog; or chase your dog out of there yard; and if they can hear your dog barking next door how is it that you cannot hear your own dog. The Board has no problems with dogs, several of us have dogs, but we must follow the rules.

2018 Annual Water Quality Report: A copy of the 2018 Annual Water Quality Report from the Department of Health & Human Services is posted at the Village Hall, Post Office and Fire & Rescue Building for your review. This report is intended to provide you with important information about your drinking water and the efforts made by the Village of Malcolm water system to provide safe drinking water. If you would like a copy for your files, please contact the Village Clerk or go to www.Malcolm.ne.gov.

July Board Meeting – Due to the 4th of July Holiday the July Board meeting will be moved to July 10th at 7:00 p.m. at the Village Hall.

Mowing and grass clippings – It is prohibited to mow your grass/weed clippings into the streets/roads per Malcolm Municipal Code 6-412. Please do not force Malcolm into creating a code that fines for this action like several other Villages/Towns and Cities do.

Same with items stored in your yards. With the Nebraska winds and storms that come through during the spring, summer and fall, let's keep things picked up and keep Malcolm clean.

Please remember **Swimming Pools** having a side wall depth of twenty-four (24) inches or more must have a fence per Ordinance 2019-01 that was passed last year. Malcolm Code Chapter 12-901,902, 903, 904 and Chapter 12-801.

You might have seen Zito Media around town hanging fiber optic lines. Zito Media will be sending information out when the fiber is in place. Zito Media bought out Galaxy Cablevision and will now be providing Internet, phone, TV2Go watch for information in the mail.

We have had inspectors from the Public Works & Utilities Department/Solid Waste Management Division inspecting our Recycling Center. We have been notified that boxes are being left outside of the recycling containers, and that Styrofoam is being left inside the boxes. Please if you see anyone leaving boxes or anything outside of any containers, notify a Board member or the Village Clerk so that our recycling center is not shut down. The Village has been in contact with Lincoln to see about getting bigger cardboard

containers. Von Bush is the garbage company contracted by the City of Lincoln to keep our recycling center empty; however, they have been having trouble with trucks breaking down these last couple of weeks. Please be patient, the Board is working on it.

Voice your opinions!! Email the Board at Malcolmne@msn.com with your concerns regarding Malcolm.

What are your opinions of the codes in Malcolm?

How they are enforced?

How they are not enforced?

What you would like to see Malcolm do to make it a better place to live?

Village Board meetings as well as the Planning Commission meetings are opened to the public, your input is very important to the continued growth and everyday concerns of the Village. **The Board cannot help with any problems that might arise within the Village unless you bring the problems or concerns to the Board.** The Village Board meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month, beginning at 7:00 p.m. The Malcolm Planning Commission meetings are held on the last Wednesday of each month, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Both meetings are held at the Village Hall located at 137 E. 2nd Street, Malcolm, NE.

The Malcolm Village Board